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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 17th Saturday in 1912 (27th April 1912).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912					
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5	
1	2		3		4		5		6	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
BANGALORE.										
Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	1	25	...	...	...	...
„ City & Taluk	...	...	...	30	1	75	2	39	— 0	64
Hoskote	...	...	...	60	...	...	1	98	— 1	98
Dodballapur	...	05	...	35	...	19	1	86	— 1	67
Nelamangala	...	5 10	...	59	5	10	2	25	+ 2	85
Kankanhalli	...	...	...	62	...	25	2	29	— 2	04
Magadi	...	...	...	53	...	...	1	68	— 1	68
Channapatna	...	62	...	67	2	07	2	08	— 0	01
Anekal	...	...	...	55	2	10	2	11	— 0	01
Devanhalli	...	...	...	56	1	48	2	39	— 0	91
Closepet	...	...	...	66	1	31	2	08	— 0	77
District average...	...	58	...	54	1	43	2	11	— 0	68
KOLAR.										
Kolar	...	...	...	42	...	76	1	41	— 0	65
Bowringpet	...	...	...	32	...	...	1	31	— 1	31
Chintamani	...	...	...	56	...	05	1	53	— 1	48
Mulbagal	...	...	...	43	...	...	1	94	— 1	94
Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	49	...	90	1	22	— 0	32
Chikballapur	...	...	...	45	...	48	1	91	— 1	43
Bagepalli	...	28	...	25	...	42	1	11	— 0	69
Goribidnur	...	...	...	32	...	...	1	05	— 1	05
Malur	...	...	...	50	...	50	1	75	— 1	25
Srinivaspur	...	...	...	21	...	...	1	65	— 1	65
Gudibanda	2	35	...	30	2	65	1	12	+ 1	53
District average...	...	24	...	39	...	52	1	45	— 0	93
TUMKUR.										
Tumkur	...	24	...	09	...	36	1	54	— 1	18
Maddagiri	...	...	...	24	...	65	...	94	— 0	29
Chiknayakanhalli	...	47	...	09	1	71	1	10	+ 0	61
Sira	...	70	...	08	1	02	...	74	+ 0	28
Gubbi	...	13	...	08	1	02	...	99	+ 0	03
Tiptur	...	...	...	16	3	01	...	81	+ 2	20
Pavagada	...	95	...	09	1	95	...	58	+ 1	37
Kunigal	...	22	...	18	...	22	1	21	— 0	99
Koratagere	...	...	...	26	...	50	1	10	— 0	60
Turuvekere	...	25	...	15	...	85	1	06	— 0	21
District average...	...	30	...	14	1	13	1	01	+ 0	12

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·99
Ragi	14·00	14·00	15·68
Kulthi	15·75	15·75	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·22
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·25	6·50	7·81
Ragi	13·00	13·00	15·71
Kulthi	15·00	15·25	...
Kadale	8·75	8·75	8·70
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	7·94
Ragi	15·00	15·00	17·31
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Kadale	10·00	10·00	8·47

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday				Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912			
					This year		Average of past ten years	
							Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	
1	2		3		4		5	6
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
MYSORE.										
Mysore ...	1	41	...	67	2	54	2	67	— 0	13
Chamrajnagar ...	...	67	...	55	1	35	2	52	— 1	17
Seringapatam ...	...	12	...	54	...	47	2	19	— 1	72
Hunsur ...	2	33	...	50	2	37	2	04	+ 0	33
Yedatore ...	...	55	...	58	...	95	1	79	— 0	84
Heggaddevankote ...	2	26	...	64	3	18	2	95	+ 0	23
Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	60	...	...	3	27	— 3	27
Nanjangud ...	1	28	...	56	1	62	2	83	— 1	21
T.-Narsipur ...	...	36	...	70	...	55	2	14	— 1	59
Malvalli ...	...	09	...	30	...	29	1	71	— 1	42
Mandya ...	...	...	...	45	...	42	2	10	— 1	68
Krishnarajpete ...	...	45	...	37	3	89	1	85	+ 2	04
Nagamangala ...	...	10	...	41	1	03	1	73	— 0	70
District average...	...	74	...	53	1	44	2	30	— 0	86
HASSAN.										
Hassan ...	...	56	...	46	1	61	1	61	...	...
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	24	...	54	1	59	2	06	— 0	47
Arkalgud ...	2	05	...	56	5	66	1	93	+ 3	73
Belur ...	3	17	...	49	3	90	2	03	+ 1	87
Channarayapatna ...	...	...	...	51	...	21	1	66	— 1	45
Arsikere ...	...	05	...	43	1	02	1	24	— 0	22
Hole-Narsipur ...	...	25	...	66	1	22	2	45	— 1	23
Alur ...	2	51	...	76	3	60	2	30	+ 1	30
District average...	1	23	...	55	2	35	1	92	+ 0	43
SHIMOGA.										
Shimoga ...	1	55	...	34	2	51	1	60	+ 0	91
Channagiri ...	...	49	...	25	1	40	...	60	+ 0	80
Honnali ...	...	96	...	31	1	39	...	85	+ 0	54
Shikarpur ...	1	40	...	12	2	62	...	96	+ 1	66
Sorab ...	...	97	...	25	2	40	...	81	+ 1	59
Sagar ...	1	52	...	27	3	59	1	39	+ 2	20
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	...	...	36	1	24	1	13	+ 0	11
Tirthahalli ...	1	49	...	24	2	90	1	10	+ 1	80
Kumsi ...	1	17	...	22	1	63	1	65	— 0	02
District average...	1	06	...	26	2	19	1	12	+ 1	07
KADUR.										
Chikmagalur ...	1	52	...	96	2	71	2	57	+ 0	14
Kadur ...	...	02	...	28	...	65	1	15	— 0	50
Tarikere ...	...	58	...	37	1	13	...	93	+ 0	20
Koppa ...	...	90	...	38	3	77	2	74	+ 1	03
Mudgere ...	...	12	...	67	2	37	2	66	— 0	29
Yedahalli ...	1	47	...	29	2	67	1	64	+ 1	03
Sringeri ...	1	09	...	16	3	52	1	28	+ 2	24
District average...	...	81	...	44	2	40	1	84	+ 0	56
CHITALDRUG.										
Chitaldrug ...	...	23	...	27	1	13	...	98	+ 0	15
Challakere ...	...	...	...	24	...	15	...	62	— 0	47
Hiriyur ...	...	69	...	44	...	69	1	22	— 0	53
Holalkere ...	...	16	...	22	...	21	1	18	— 0	97
Davangere ...	...	70	...	10	1	38	...	35	+ 1	03
Molakalmuru ...	...	25	...	03	1	67	...	49	+ 1	18
Jagalur ...	...	40	...	10	1	10	...	76	+ 0	34
Hosdurga ...	...	60	...	41	2	70	1	11	+ 1	59
Harihar ...	...	84	...	19	1	47	...	85	+ 0	62
District average...	...	43	...	22	1	17	...	84	+ 0	33
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Provincial average...	...	67	...	38	1	58	1	57	+ 0	01

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·76
Ragi	14·00	16·00	16·65
Kulthi	15·00	16·00	...
Kadale	9·50	10·50	9·66
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	8·69
Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·26
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·72
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·00	9·57
Ragi	18·00	17·00	19·81
Kulthi	12·75	13·50	...
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·00	9·41
Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·43
Kulthi	14·00	13·00	...
Kadale	8·50	8·50	8·89
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	8·13
Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·77
Kulthi	15·00	16·00	...
Cholum	16·00	16·00	18·03
Kadale	8·00	9·00	8·44

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·23	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

State of standing crops.—Rain is wanting. Cattle are in good condition. It is stated that no cases of cattle disease were reported during the week. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured in parts of the Nelamangala, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; and ploughing and weeding operations are going on in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk and the Devanhalli Taluk, respectively.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Sugar cane in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk, yield from 4 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Bangalore, Hoskote, Doddballapur, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured in the Mulbagal and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Kolar, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks and sugar cane in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops sown.—Ragi in the Bowringpet Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—

Ragi in the Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks, yield from 4 to 8 annas and jola in parts of Mulbagal, yield from 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. But rain is badly wanted throughout the district. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in the Mulbagal Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder is available. But pasture is reported to be "not sufficient in the Kolar, Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks."